

The Socorro Chieftain.

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MIXED ITEMS.

"The Love That Makes the World Go Round."

When love has kissed fair Beauty's cheek,
And beauty, smiling in surprise,
Turned away her glowing cheek
From the soft order of his eyes,
Then, heart to heart and lip to lip,
Awake that passion pure and bright,
To make the days like moments slip,
To bask in all the shades of night.

And was this all? O Love, Love, Love,
The world was dead until you came!
Dead, cold, inert, below, above,
Till kindled by your generous flame!
You made the very mould to speak,
With tender leaf and flower to thrill,
When kisses soft met Beauty's cheek,
With fragile life trembled and bill,
And man? That rule, ungentle old,
Like one in fetters firmly bound,
Now walks in spirit like a god!
"The love that makes the world go round."
—Abbie M. Gannett.

"Fry Gizzard" is the name of a post office in Tennessee.

It is just seven years since Stanley reached the mouth of the Congo river, after a terrible march across the Dark Continent. To him the world owes the tidings that this river is one of the chief water-ways on the globe. He has succeeded in opening it up to civilization, and it is said that he now proposes to take the rest which he has so well earned.

The Revision of the Old Testament, which, it was hoped, would be out this year, will probably not make its appearance before early in 1885. The eighty fifth and last session of the English Revision Committee has been held, but months must intervene before the complete work can be given to the public. Nothing is positively known of any changes made in the old version, the revisions on both sides of the Atlantic having kept their pledge of secrecy.

Human Nature.

A man who had just returned from Mexico, speaking of bull-fights said: "The practice cannot be called sport. It is cruelty. To kill the bull does not seem to be the object, but assisting the bull to kill the horse seems to be the aim. An American who sees one bull fight never wants to see another. I saw two."

"Why did you go to see the second?" asked some one.

"Influenced by a humane motive, sir—in the hope of seeing the bull kill a Mexican."—Ark. Traveler.

Says the New York Commercial Advertiser—which was falsely quoted as against Mr. Blaine: "Do not let it be forgotten that, in the words of Mr. George William Curtis, at the Chicago Convention, June 3rd: 'We are confronted with the Democratic party very hungry—and you may well believe very thirsty a party without a single definite principle, a party without any distinct national policy which it dares present to the country; a party which fell from power as a conspiracy against human rights, and now attempts to sneak back to power as a conspiracy to plunder and spoil.'"

The construction of the C. P. R. through British Columbia is one of the most difficult engineering feats ever attempted. The average cost of construction between Emory and Boston Bar, a distance of 92 miles, is over \$80,000 per mile. Twenty miles of this has been hewn out of solid granite and over eight large and four-teen small bridges. There are 500 bridge and trestle structures between Kamloops and Port Moody. Seven thousand men are now at work, and it is expected that the road will be handed over to the company in about eighteen months.

He was Surprised.

"Yes," said an Englishman on his return home after an extended tour in the United States, "I was introduced to one of the candidates for a high political office, and I was never more surprised in my life. I had read in the newspapers that he had killed his mother-in-law, turned his grand-mother out of doors into the snow when she was dying, perjured himself in every court in the country, robbed the widow and the orphan, stole the funds of a bank, and committed many more crimes; but I found him to be a pleasant, gentlemanly man, mild in manner and speech, and so highly respected in his native place that he could have any office in the gift of his fellow citizens. I was astonished, I assure you. The Americans are a strange people."—Somerville Journal.

A Dog's Long Journey.

Agood story of a dog's ability to find its way from a strange place to its former home comes from Flat Rock, O. A young farmer named McCauley emigrated from that place to Kansas. He put his goods on the cars at Flat Rock, and with them put a shepherd. On his arrival at his destination he drove from the railroad station to his brother's house, and the dog following. The team was cared for, and the young man went into the house, leaving the dog outside. The next morning the animal could not be found. He wrote back to Ohio to his friends, and mentioned the disappearance of his dog. Three weeks afterward he received a letter announcing the arrival of the dog at his old home. The animal refused, however, to make up with any one, and in a short time died.—Cincinnati Inquirer.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

A convention of the Republican party of the Territory of New Mexico is hereby called to be held at Santa Fe on Monday, the 26th day of August, A. D. 1884, to nominate a candidate for delegate to the 48th Congress of the United States, and for the transaction of such other party business as may be properly brought before the convention. The several counties of the Territory will be entitled to representation as follows, to-wit:

| County. | Delegates. | County. | Delegates. |
|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| Alamosa | 2 | Santa Fe | 12 |
| Chama | 2 | Santa Rita | 2 |
| Costilla | 2 | Santa Rosa | 2 |
| El Paso | 2 | Santa Teresa | 2 |
| Grant | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Guadalupe | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Hidalgo | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Lincoln | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| McKenzie | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Navajo | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Okfuskee | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| San Juan | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Santa Fe | 12 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Santa Rita | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
| Santa Rosa | 2 | Santa Ynez | 2 |
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County committees and especially the chairman of such committees are particularly enjoined to see to it that county conventions for the purpose of selecting delegates to the convention hereby called are regularly held in conformity with the rules published herewith.

Under a rule adopted by the last general convention proxies can only be recognized when held by residents of the same county as the delegates for whom the proxy proposes to act. A full attendance of delegates is earnestly desired.

All voters who are in favor of fair elections and a fair count and return of the ballots of the voters, of the maintenance in fact as well as the assertion by law of exact justice and equality of civil and political rights to all citizens of the Republic; of the proposition that our government is the government of a nation, and not a mere confederacy of states; of maintaining the dignity of our nation and our flag and the rights of American citizens everywhere; of protection to American productions and American industries and the just enforcement of all laws, for the protection of life, liberty and property and the assertion and preservation of the rights of all citizens, are urgently requested to disregard past party associations, to unite with us and to attend the precinct mass conventions of our party.

By order of the Republican Territorial Committee. WM. BREDES, Chairman. MAX FROST, Sec'y.

Under the direction of the last general convention the following rules are prescribed for the holding of county conventions:

1. County conventions are to be held after due notice through newspapers for at least ten days prior to date set for such convention.
2. County conventions must be composed of delegates chosen at precinct mass conventions.
3. County committees will arrange for and call all precinct and county conventions, and appoint times and places thereof. It is recommended that where there is no good reason to the contrary county conventions be held at the county seats and that precinct conventions be held upon the same day in each county.
4. Where no committee exists the member of the Territorial committee for such county is charged with the duties of the county committee.

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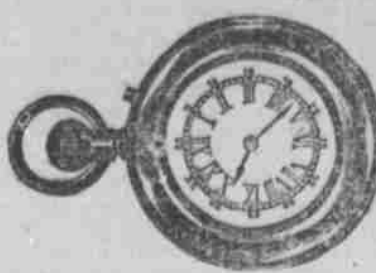
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